ARISTIDA PERUVIANA

Annual, bush; sheaths glabrous; ligule a conspicuous row of hairs; blades flat or somewhat involute; panicles numerous; glumes unequal, 1-nerved, the first 4 mm. long, the second 10 mm. long; lemma about 9 mm. long, glabrous below, minutely scaberulous toward the summit; callus well developed, densely pubescent; awns about equal, 1.5 to 3 cm. long, a central awn sometimes 2 mm. longer than the laterals, awns flexuous and divergent and twisting at maturity.

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LIPPIA HOEHNEI var. GOYAZENSIS Moldenke, var. nov.

Haec varietas a forma typica speciei recedit foliis ovatoellipticis usque ad 4.5 cm. longis 3 cm. latis ad apicem argute acutis vel breviter subacuminatis.

This variety differs from the typical form of the species in its smaller and rather narrowly ovate-elliptic leaves which are only to 4.5 cm. long and 3 cm. wide, sharply acute or shortly subacuminate at the apex, with the margins finely serrulate.

The type of the variety was collected by Gert Hatschbach (no. 34642) in "campo cerrado" at Rod. Br. 060, in the municipality of Mineiros, Goiás, Brazil, on July 20, 1974, and is deposited in the H. N. Moldenke herbarium at Plainfield, New Jersey.

The collector describes the plant as erect, 1 meter tall, the flowers rose-colored.